

My personal belief of NAB's petition 04-160 is an issue that is truly outdated. What I see are the fossils of the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) attempting to hinder the access of immediate information the public can attain. As proven in the past since the days of Marconi, technologies advance, and there will always be a group of individuals that cannot accept this.

This is a service that I, as a consumer in this country, pay for and willingly do so. Any service that XM provides me for my local information is always up to date, usually up to the very minute. I cannot achieve this with the NAB standards. I will not wait minutes up to hours to get the (now outdated) information that I believe the NAB would wish me to have.

Message to the NAB: join the 21st century and XM!